

Kings Worthy

Primary School

Newsletter



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Dear Parents and Carers

House Captains 2024



Congratulations to our 2024 House Captains who will help support the leadership of the school. They will be a voice for the pupils of each house and we look forward to seeing them thrive in their role demonstrating our school value of responsibility. Children within each house listened and voted for individuals and a huge congratulations to those who stood and on this occasion were not elected. Every potential candidate should be extremely proud for putting themselves forward.

<p><u>Arundel</u> Lena and Eleanor</p>	<p><u>Carisbrooke</u> Rameen and Annabelle</p>
<p><u>Portchester</u> Skyla and Bea</p>	<p><u>Windsor</u> Violet and Safia</p>

Thank You for Your Support!

Thank you for your kind contributions and donations to the MacMillan coffee morning that was held last Friday. We raised over £200 for the charity. Thank you to Mme Miller for organising the morning for such a worthwhile cause.



This year our school council looks slightly different...

Welcome to the school parliament! We shall update you every term on any events that you need to be aware of within the school. We are a team of 19 pupils, from across different councils, as well as House Captains.



We will be in charge of:

- **Listening to children's voices.**
- **Setting up a termly newsletters for children.**
- **Sending out questions to know how children are feeling or to get their views on important changes within the school.**

But what about those not in School Parliament?

We will also be setting up a Smart School Council. We have changed our School Council, as we have so many School Councils within the school (Art, Drama, Dance, Culture, Kindness, Eco and more) we wanted a way for all the councils to work together, as School Parliament.

But it is still important for all children to have a voice. So, we have begun to set up a Smart School Council too. We have joined an exciting project called **Smart School Councils** where the key ethos is that every child has a voice and any idea is worth sharing.

- School council meetings are held in every classroom which means every child's voice is heard.
- Even if children aren't on the School Parliament, they still have the opportunity to make a difference by sharing their views, leading a class meeting or writing the views of the class within the meeting.
- School Parliament will explore the feasibility of introducing change, giving ownership of projects to the children.

To find out more, you can visit Smart School Councils here:

<https://home.smartschoolcouncils.org.uk/>

We look forward to sharing with you the exciting ideas the children wish to explore to make our school even better.

Best wishes,

Miss Dabill and The School Parliament team.

Fabulous Football

Well done to both the girls and boys this week who represented Kings Worthy so well. Oliver's Battery were the visitors and both games were played in a tremendous spirit that resulted in a double victory for Kings Worthy. Special shout out to Mr Mole for refereeing and not having to refer to VAR for any decisions.

Girls – 3:1 victory

Tilly
Eleanor (1 goal)
Skyla
Safia (2 goals)
Leah
Evelyn
Imogen
Clara

Boys – 5:0 victory

Charlie
Ben
Edward
Charley
James
Daniel
Rafal
Jonathan
Sam (3 goals)
2 own goals

Congratulations to Sam, Eleanor and Safia for getting off the mark on the goalscoring charts.

Maths Shed

Another fantastic week of Math Shedding! We're welcoming 4R and 6C onto the leader board and Years 5 and 6 are still dominating the individual charts. I wonder if we can get some new children on the leader board next week? Will it be you?

Classes

1st place - 6C

2nd place - 5S

3rd place - 4R

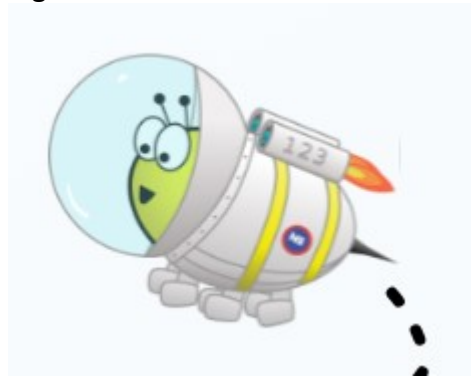
Individuals

1st place - Ben, Year 6

2nd place - Vlad, Year 5

3rd place - Jonathan, Year 6

(Written by Mrs Williamson)



Spelling Shed

Wow! What an amazing effort from **2B** this week, who have bumped Year 6 down the leader board. It is great to have a Year 2 heading up the leader board too. Well done Riley, Violet and Clara.

Classes

1st Place – 2B

2nd Place – 6C

3rd Place – 6H

Individuals

1st Place – Riley, Year 2

2nd Place – Violet, Year 6

3rd Place – Clara, Year 6

(Written by Mrs Cowling)



Secondary School Applications

Just a reminder, for those of you who have children who are currently in Year 6 and are entering Year 7 in September 2025, the **closing date** for secondary school applications is **Thursday 31st October 2024**. It is vital that you apply before the deadline as late applications will not be considered until after all on-time applications.

<https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/admissions/applicationprocess/year7>

School Photographs

We hope you have all received your child's proof card for their school photograph, the deadline to place your orders directly with Fraser Portraits is **Thursday 17th October**.

Meat Free Monday

This Monday 7th October is the last 'Meat Free Monday'! Please ensure you choose **RED** for the veggie sausage roll and **GREEN** for the Macaroni Cheese.

School Census Day

Due to Year 5 being out on their residential this week, we will be using meal numbers from the next week on Thursday 10th October for School Census funding.

What does this mean to me?

The money the school receives from the government to pay for the infant free school meals is based on an average of the number of meals taken on the Census days in October and January.

It would really help the school if your child was to have a school meal on this day, particularly if your child is in Year R, 1 or 2 and/or they are in receipt of pupil premium funding.

The lunch choice on Thursday 10th October will be:

Red = Roast Chicken

Green = Cheesy Tomato Pasta

pudding options will be, delicious cake, jelly or a shortbread biscuit.

Even if your child hasn't eaten with us before, why not use this as an opportunity to try the lunch and have a packed lunch as a back up! Every meal helps with funding for our school.

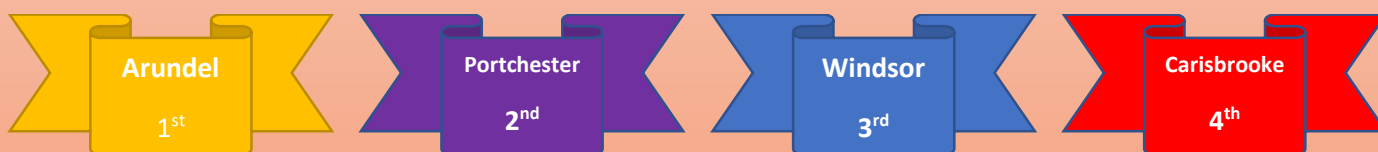
Please kindly book your child's meal through SCOPAY as usual

We thank you for your anticipated support.

House Points – Week Four



House Points – Termly Positions



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